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FOR: **BIDIRECTIONAL WAVELENGTH DIVISION MULTIPLEXING  
SELF-HEALING OPTICAL RING NETWORK**

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 23, 2007, Applicant respectfully  
requests entry of this amendment for the above-identified as follows: